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W. F. ROGERS, W. M.

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I. O. O. F.

Smethport Lodge, No. 273, meets every Friday evening at 8 o'clock in I. O. O. F. Hall.

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D. S. STEVENS, Chief Patriarch.

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Post No. 9, A. K. meets every Thursday evening, at 7:30 o'clock, in the A. O. U. W. Hall, Bachus Block.

W. H. COATES, Adjutant. A. G. BURT, Com.

W. R. C.

Meets every Thursday afternoon at A. O. U. W. Hall, Bachus Block.

MISS LENA WETMORE, Pres't.

Secy.

Knights of St. John and Malta.

Keystone Encampment, No. 77, meets every Tuesday evening in I. O. O. F. Hall.

W. H. COATES, Chancellor. A. VIGOR, Rec. Com.

A. O. U. W.

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SAMUEL SAGE, M. W.

SOLOMON GOLDSMITH, Recorder.

R. A. M.

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L. BOARMAN, President.

H. M. AGEY, Secretary.

K. OF T. M.

Meets every Monday evening at 7:30 in Knox on Booth.

SAMUEL DAY, Com.

J. C. BACHUS, K. R.

C. M. E. A.

Smethport Branch 33, meets second and fourth Wednesdays of each month at K. A. C. hall, at 7:30 p. m.

JAMES McKEAN, Pres't.

H. W. CONNER, Financial Secy.

Ross Secy.

W. C. T. U.

Meets every afternoon on Wednesday afternoon, at 3 p. m., in their hall, Bachus Block.

MRS. D. L. POTTER, Pres't.

MRS. M. E. RICHMOND, Secy.

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DENNIS WARNER, K. C.

FRED GALLUP, Scribe.

Rev. J. H. MCCLYMONDS, Warden.

Churches.

Methodist.—T. W. CRESSWELL, pastor. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. every Sunday. Sabbath School immediately after morning service. Class Meeting at 12 m. on Sunday. Prayer Meeting on Thursday evenings at 7 o'clock. Ladies' Aid Society on Wednesday evenings at 7 o'clock. Junior Meeting on Saturday afternoons at 3 o'clock.

Baptist.—Rev. W. P. Phillips, pastor. Preaching every Sunday at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sabbath School at 12 m. Prayer Meeting every Thursday evening at 7 o'clock. Covenant meeting on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Communion services on the first Sunday in each month at 2 o'clock p. m. All are welcome.

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All Saints' Memorial Chapel.—East Smethport.—Rev. A. Gregory McCandless, Rector. Services every Sunday at 3 p. m. Sunday School at 2:30 p. m. The Ladies' Guild meets every Friday at 3:00 p. m.

St. Elizabeth Catholic Church.—Rev. J. GALLAGHER, Pastor. Masses at 8 a. m. and 10:30 a. m. Sunday School at 2 p. m. Services on each alternate Sunday at Smethport and Shongalla.

Congregational Church.—J. G. Hann, pastor. Preaching every Sunday morning at 10:30; Sabbath school at 12:00 m.; prayer meeting every Sunday evening at 7 o'clock, and every Thursday evening at 7 o'clock. Covenant meeting Thursday evening.

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—Have you subscribed for your favorite paper?

—Don't forget the Democratic caucus next Saturday.

—Our school reopens on Monday next after the holidays.

—Only 10 more weeks from next Monday.

—Now is a good time to get your job printing done in Smethport.

—"Stoppy" is the latest catchy word for anything stylish.

—There is a rock in Keating township, a mile east of Smethport, which is a curiosity.

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—Send and get a copy of the Illustrated Buffalo Express. It is the handsomest publication of the week.

—Call and see our office at the February circulars are already sent out.

—A number of our young men attended Field on New Year's day.

—Don't forget Lowery & Weaver have to say in their new advertisement in this paper.

—A cure for that dread malady, cancer, is said to have been discovered in San Francisco.

—This winter bids fair to be as much of an old-fashioned one as it will appear like a new fashion.

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—Many of the new railroad rates, which went into effect on Thursday of last week, have already been broken.

—There are now 200 regularly ordained women preachers in the United States, where forty years ago there was only one.

—Hogan nearly died recently of the Wells boro *Gazette* fame, and the whole country was in mourning. He is now convalescent.

—S. W. Williams & Son slaughtered a mammoth porker recently, which beats the record. His porcine lordship dressed 300 pounds.

—At this writing we have had some nice sleighing since the holidays, but like all good things it is liable to disappear before we realize it.

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